

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
WESTERN DIVISION**

DON GIBSON, LAUREN CRISS, JOHN MEINERS, and
DANIEL UMPA, individually and on behalf of all others
similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS;
HOMESERVICES OF AMERICA, INC.; BHH
AFFILIATES; HSF AFFILIATES, LLC; THE LONG &
FOSTER COMPANIES, INC.; BERKSHIRE
HATHAWAY ENERGY COMPANY; KELLER
WILLIAMS REALTY, INC.; COMPASS, INC.; EXP
WORLD HOLDINGS, INC.; EXP REALTY, LLC;
REDFIN CORPORATION; WEICHERT CO.;
WEICHERT REAL ESTATE AFFILIATES, INC.; FIVE
D I, LLC d/b/a UNITED REAL ESTATE; HANNA
HOLDINGS, INC.; DOUGLAS ELLIMAN, INC.;
DOUGLAS ELLIMAN REALTY, LLC; AT WORLD
PROPERTIES, LLC; THE REAL BROKERAGE, INC.;
REAL BROKER, LLC; REALTY ONE GROUP, INC.;
HOMESMART; INTERNATIONAL, LLC; ENGEL &
VÖLKERS GMBH; ENGEL & VÖLKERS AMERICAS,
INC.; NEXTHOME, INC.; EXIT REALTY CORP.
INTERNATIONAL; EXIT REALTY CORP. USA;
WINDERMERE REAL ESTATE SERVICES
COMPANY, INC.; WILLIAM L. LYON &
ASSOCIATES, INC.; WILLIAM RAVEIS REAL
ESTATE, INC.; JOHN L. SCOTT REAL ESTATE
AFFILIATES, INC.; JOHN L. SCOTT, INC.; THE
KEYES COMPANY; ILLUSTRATED PROPERTIES,
LLC; PARKS PILKERTON VILLAGE REAL ESTATE;
CRYE-LEIKE, INC.; BAIRD & WARNER REAL
ESTATE, INC.; REAL ESTATE ONE, INC.; THE K
COMPANY REALTY, LLC d/b/a LOKATION,

Defendants.

Case No. 4:19-cv-00332-SRB

[Consolidated with
4:23-cv-00945-SRB]

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that James Mullis hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit from the district court's Order granting final approval of settlements with Compass, Inc.; The Real Brokerage Inc. and Real Broker, LLC; Realty ONE Group, Inc.; At World Properties LLC; Douglas Elliman Inc. and Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC; Redfin Corporation; Engel & Völkers GmbH, Engel & Völkers Americas, Inc., and Engel & Völkers New York Real Estate LLC; HomeSmart Holdings, Inc.; and Five D I, LLC (d/b/a United Real Estate), Premiere Plus Realty, Co., and Charles Rutenberg Realty - Orlando, LLC entered on November 4, 2024 (ECF No. 530), which order also directed entry of a final judgment as to those settling defendants (ECF No. 530 ¶ 113); and all other orders adverse in whole or in part to Mr. Mullis.¹

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: December 2, 2024

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¹ Mr. Mullis is a member of the proposed settlement classes set forth in the Court's November 4, 2024 Order (ECF No. 530 at 4-5) as well as a named plaintiff in *Batton v. Nat'l Ass'n of Realtors, et al.*, 21-cv-430 (N.D. Ill.); *Batton v. Compass, et al.*, 23-cv-1561 (N.D. Ill.); *Lutz v. HomeServices of America, Inc., et al.*, No. 4:24-cv-10040 (S.D. Fla.); and *Davis v. Hanna Holdings, Inc.*, No. 2:24-cv-02374 (E.D. Pa.). Mr. Mullis objected to the approval of the class-action settlements between the plaintiffs in this action and the settling defendants. *See* ECF No. 471 (Oct. 3, 2024).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 2, 2024, the foregoing was filed electronically with the Clerk of Court of the Western District of Missouri to be served by the Court's electronic filing system to all Counsel of Record:

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